

**Arkansas State Board of Cosmetology
Examination Report
March 12, 13, 20 and 21, 2007**

Examinations were conducted on March 12, 13, 20 and 21. The examinations were held at 101 East Capitol, Suite 106, in Little Rock.

Roll Call

The following examiners were present:

Sheila Caudle, Inspector	12 and 13
Lavonne Green, Inspector	12 and 13
Rose Horner, Inspector	20 and 21
Brenda Morgan, Inspector	20 and 21

The following staff members were also in attendance:
 Jeanie Thornton, Document Examiner II – Proctor
 Shaunta Belmont, Document Examiner II

Examination Schedule

There were 120 candidates scheduled for the examinations, which consisted of the following: 80 cosmetologists (C); 12 manicurists (M); 23 aestheticians (A); and 5 instructors (I). There were 100 in appearance.

Examination Results

First-Time Applicants

						Breakdown of Failures by Exam				
Part	No.	No.	Fail	No.	No.	Pract.	Pract.	Written	Written	Written
Exam	Schedule	Appear	Rate	Pass	Fail	Only	Wr - Cor	Core	Law	Cor/Law
C	69	56	16%	47	9	3	2	3	1	
M	3	3	0%	3						
A	20	17	18%	14	3	2		1		
I	4	3	33%	2	1					1

Re-examination Practical Only

Exam	No.	No.	Fail	No.	No.
Type	Schedule	Appear	Rate	Pass	Fail
C	3	2	50%	1	1
M	5	4	25%	3	1

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Re-examination Written Only

Exam Type	No. Schedule	No. Appear	Fail Rate	No. Pass	No. Fail
C	8	7	57%	3	4
M	4	4	0%	4	
A	3	3	67%	1	2
I	1	1	100%		1

Failure Statistics

Exam Type	Total Examined	Total Failures	Breakdown of Failures by Exam Part					Failure Rate
			Pract. Only	Pract. Wr - Cor	Written Core	Written Law	Written Cor/Law	
C	65	14	3	2	3	1	0	22%
M	11	1	0	0	5	0	0	9%
A	20	5	2	0	1	0	0	25%
I	4	2	0	0	0	0	1	50%

Overall Totals

Exam Type	No. Schedule	No. Appear	Fail Rate	No. Pass	No. Fail
C	80	65	22%	51	14
M	12	11	9%	10	1
A	23	20	25%	15	5
I	5	4	50%	2	2
Totals	120	100	22%	78	22

There following incident occurred during the examinations this month:

- During the morning cosmetology exam on March 12, A-4 did not complete the manicure phase of the exam, as she did not have manicure implements. The incident report was completed by cosmetology inspector Sheila Caudle and witnessed by cosmetology inspector Lavonne Green.
- During the instructor exam on March 13, candidate #2 was dismissed from the examination. The candidate's theory lesson plan included the name of her school on page 5 of the outline. In addition, the candidate introduced herself to the examiners by giving her name. The incident report was completed by cosmetology inspectors Sheila Caudle and Lavonne Green.

- During the afternoon cosmetology exam on March 20, B-1 cut his left hand with shears. He treated the cut with antiseptic and a band-aid while following the safety and infection control procedures, then placed a glove on the hand and continued with the haircut. The incident report was completed by staff member Shaunta Belmont under the guidance of cosmetology inspectors Brenda Morgan and Rose Horner.
- During the afternoon cosmetology exam on March 20, B-5 cut her finger on the left hand. She treated the cut with antiseptic and a band-aid while following the safety and infection control procedures, then placed a glove on the hand and continued with the haircut. The incident report was completed by staff member Shaunta Belmont under the guidance of cosmetology inspectors Brenda Morgan and Rose Horner.

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